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Dear Ms. DeCarmine:

This letter is in response to your preliminary review of the Leadership in the New Century Amended Mid-Year Report. That report disclosed expenditures that you indicated needed clarification. The expenditures in question, "fundraising event costs" and "catering costs" were expenses for the Committee and were not made on behalf of any federal candidate. The expenditure disclosed as "printing" was not for public communications or voter drive activity. The Committee has amended the report to clarify these expenditures. Thank you in advance.

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